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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

C. Andrew Neff

Application No.

10/038,752

Conf. No. 6285

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December 31, 2001

For

DETECTING COMPROMISED BALLOTS

Docket No.

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Date

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Refund Section, Accounting Division Office of Finance Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR REFUND OF FILING FEES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a)

Sir:

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27. Please credit Deposit Account No. 50-0665 in the amount of \$1,209.00.

The following large-entity fees were paid on February 14, 2002, for the above-referenced application:

Basic Fee	\$ 740.00
Total Claims (50, 30 extra)	540.00
Independent Claims (15, 12 extra)	1,008.00
Missing Parts Surcharge	130.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,418.00

The fees below have been calculated taking into consideration the small-entity status.

Basic Fee	\$ 370.00
Total Claims (50, 30 extra)	270.00
Independent Claims (15, 12 extra)	504.00
Missing Parts Surcharge	65.00
TOTAL	\$ \$1,209.00

This request for refund is being made within three months of the date the fees were paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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